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Branch Nurseries - - NEW LYNN.

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Importers, Raisers, and Distributors

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NEW & RARE FRUITS

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Herald, Auckland—48554

Fruit Trees.

In order to meet the increasing demands and maintain the reputation our nursery has so long enjoyed, we continue to add largely to the various branches, and have established a Branch Nursery at New Lynn, where our trees and shrubs are chiefly grown. The soil is poor and free from weeds, and the situation most exposed; consequently, the plants are of sturdy growth, splendidly rooted, and transplant with much greater satisfaction than those produced under more favoured conditions.

We offer the most popular and useful varieties of APPLES, APRICOTS, CHERRIES, NECTARINES, PEACHES, PEARS, EUROPEAN AND JAPANESE PLUMS, FIGS, QUINCES, ALMONDS, at the following prices:—

From 1/6, 2/-, 2/6 each.

From 15/-, 20/-, 25/- per dozen.

From 100/-, 120/-, 150/- per 100.

According to age, size, and variety.

In PEARS we can supply extra large trees at fruiting age, at 3/6, 5/-, and 7/6 each.

ORANGES, LEMONS, AND OTHER CITRUS, from 2/6, 3/6, and upwards, according to age and size of tree.

Also CURRANTS, GOOSEBERRIES, RASPBERRIES, LOGANBERRIES, GUAVAS (Purple and White), LOQUATS, NUTS, PERSIMMONS, TREE TOMATOES, GRAPE VINES, and other Miscellaneous Fruits, at Lowest Rates.

For names and full descriptions we refer you to our General Catalogue, posted free on application.

For complete lists of ORNAMENTAL AND SHELTER TREES, CONIFERS, FLOWERING SHRUBS, AZALEAS, CAMELLIAS, CANNAS, RHODODENDRONS, HARDY CLIMBING PLANTS, HERBACEOUS AND SOFT-WOODED PLANTS, HOTHOUSE, GREENHOUSE, WINDOW, and other DECORATIVE PLANTS, ROCK-GARDEN PLANTS, FERNS, AND LYCOPODS, HANGING BASKETS, HEDGE PLANTS, BOUVARDIAS, CARNATIONS, BULBS, AND TUBEROUS-ROOTED PLANTS, FUCHSIAS, ROSES, and numerous other species, also description and prices, see our General Catalogue, which will be posted free on application.

Eucalyptus.

The importance of planting gums for shelter, ornament, timber, and firewood cannot be over-estimated; every settler should have a few. We have carefully selected varieties suitable to our climatic conditions, and recommend them with the greatest confidence and expert knowledge. Our plants, being grown in pots, may, under ordinary care, be transplanted with the utmost safety.

Price, 1/- each; 6/- to 9/- per dozen; 40/- per 100, except where otherwise priced.

Eucalyptus Amygdalina.—Exceedingly handsome; hardy; one of the best for parks and avenues.

- Eucalyptus Botryoides.**—Stately tree, of rapid growth; moderately hardy.
- Eucalyptus Calophylla.**—An exceedingly ornamental variety, with broad leaves and large white flowers.
- Eucalyptus Eugenioides.**—One of the stringy barks; a valuable timber variety; hardy.
- Eucalyptus Ficifolia.**—Scarlet flowering gum. 1/6 to 2/- each.
- Eucalyptus Longifolia.**—Tree highly ornamental; timber strong and durable.
- Eucalyptus Macarthurii.**—Valuable for shelter, ornament, and timber; of rapid growth and very hardy. One of the best. 45/- per 100.
- Eucalyptus Muelleriana.**—Stringy bark; distinct and ornamental; valuable timber; hardy.
- Eucalyptus Obliqua.**—Stringy bark; valuable timber tree; one of the most useful.
- Eucalyptus Pilularis.**—A stately tree of rapid growth; produces valuable and durable timber.
- Eucalyptus Punctata.**—Tree of rapid growth; timber tough and durable; splendid for avenues; medium climate.
- Eucalyptus Saligna.**—A rapid grower, and standard timber tree.
- Eucalyptus Tereticornis.**—Forest Red Gum; large tree; best timber, hard and durable.
- Eucalyptus Viminalis.**—The Manna Gum; highly ornamental, and useful for its timber.

And other varieties; names and descriptions on application.

Cactus and other Dahlias.

Our Dahlias are the admiration of all during the summer months. We have much pleasure in offering an unrivalled assortment, comprising the leading varieties belonging to each section, and including the most recent and up-to-date novelties, in Cactus, Collarette, Paeony-flowered, and other varieties, names of which will be published with full descriptions and prices in our Spring Catalogue. We can supply during the winter months dry bulbs of many varieties from the General Collection, 1/- each; 10/- per dozen. New varieties of 1916, 1/6 each; 12/- per dozen. Novelties of 1917 (plants of which will not be ready till November), 2/6 each; 24/- per dozen. Our selection, 20/- per dozen.

Chrysanthemums.

For names, full descriptions, and prices, see Spring Catalogue, issued in September.

Roses.

We make Roses a specialty, and continue to add to our large collection the very latest and best novelties that are obtainable.

We make an annual revision of our lists, eliminating any that are at all inferior, and that are superseded by others of superior merit.

Our Roses are chiefly grown at our Branch Nursery at New Lynn, where the soil is poor and the situation most exposed. They are grown under natural conditions, and are not in any way forced, and being worked on the most approved stocks, well rooted, and branched. they cannot fail to give every satisfaction.

PARCELS POST offers splendid facilities for sending Roses to any part of the Dominion expeditiously and at a trifling cost. Our system of packing, for which we make a small charge, ensures safe arrival of Plants at their destination.

New Roses for 1917.

Price, 3/6 each, except where otherwise priced.

Clarice Goodacre, H.T.—A rose of exquisite form, unique colour and chaste beauty, with a most distinct and refreshing tangerine orange perfume; every bloom of good shape with long pointed buds and petals of great substance; an absolutely perfect bloom, splendid for exhibition and decoration; growth vigorous with ideal foliage; colour, biscuit-chrome on ivory white. A splendid acquisition. Awarded Gold Medal, Belfast. Each, 3/6.

Climbing Irish Fireflame.—A splendid climbing sport from that beautiful single rose "Irish Fireflame," and should be a great acquisition, as it will be unique in colour as a climber, and certain to become a general favourite. Each, 3/6.

Circe, H.T.—Flowers flesh-white, shaded with carmine, base of petals deep yellow, large and full; good both for garden decoration and for exhibition purposes. Each, 3/6.

Cleveland, H.T.—Vigorous growth, large, handsome foliage; mildew proof; flowers very large and full, of exquisite form, and produced freely and continuously. Colour deep coppery yellow at the base of the petals, which are heavily flushed reddish copper on old rose. A distinct and very beautiful rose. Each, 3/6 to 5/-.

Colcestria, H.T.—Strong pillar in habit of growth. The blooms are large and full, satin rose in the centre, shading off to silver-pink in the outer petals, which are beautifully reflexed; delightful perfume, very free flowering, and will prove a valuable climber on walls, being a colour much needed for this purpose. Awarded the "Clay Cup" at the Holland House Show for fragrance and general excellence as a climber. Each, 3/6.

Crimson Chatenay, H.T.—This is a remarkable result of a seedling from "Mad. A. Chatenay." The name given it expresses the rose, the growth and habit are similar but more vigorous and hardy. The colour is a beautiful bright crimson. It is a perfectly imbricated flower, and may be used as an effective decorative rose in the same manner as the parent; strongly fragrant. An ideal variety for all purposes. Each, 3/6.

Crimson Emblem, H.T.—The most beautiful of all glowing crimson roses in existence; a free grower and free bloomer, with almost smooth wood, and mildew-proof foliage. The flowers are perfect in shape and form, with fine long stems for cutting. Colour, most beautiful brilliant crimson scarlet. It is the greatest advance in high-coloured roses yet raised, and delightfully scented. A truly superb variety that every rose lover must have. Gold Medal I.R.S. Each, 3/6 to 5/-.

Donald Macdonald, H.T. (Decorative).—The most floriferous rose we know of, with perfect habit, and the most ideal and radiant rose one can imagine. As a bedder it is never out of bloom during the rose time. Colour intense orange carmine, and the buds develop into miniature exhibition blooms, with beautifully shaped shell-like petals. The flowers are produced on erect branching wood. Sweetly Persian Tea perfumed. Awarded Gold Medal N.R.S. Each, 3/6.

Henrietta, H.T.—Flowers erect on long stems; buds long and chaste; colour fiery orange-crimson, developing as the flower expands to a soft coral salmon, beautifully shaded at the base with glowing orange; delightfully fragrant; semi-double. A beautiful decorative rose. Each, 3/6 to 5/-.

Major Pierson, H.T.—Deep saffron yellow, and in the bud state similar to "W. A. Richardson" when at its best, developing into beautifully formed flowers, which are freely and continuously produced; sweetly scented; good growth and foliage. A fine bedding rose. Each, 2/6.

Mdlle. A. Gramon, H.T.—A very vigorous grower, with strong branching habit. Buds long and pointed on rigid stems, charming colour; a beautiful combination of white-tinted carnation rose. Flowers very large double, and beautifully cupped with large guard petals. Each, 3/6.

- Mrs. A. Glen Kidston, H.T., Decorative.**—A truly uniquely coloured and fascinating rose of "Lady Pirrie" type, hence a perfect bedder, the colour being cinnamon (maddery orange) rosy carmine, an intensely brilliant and attractive colour, which as the bloom develops becomes a charming deep rose. Deeply pointed, beautifully formed blooms, with a delicate delicious Persian perfume, which will at once pronounce the presence of this charming rose in any room. Each, 3/6 to 5/-.
- Mrs. Archibald Mackey, H.T.**—Best described as a huge "Mrs. W. J. Grant," rather deeper in colour. A magnificent exhibition rose. Each, 5/-.
- Mrs. Bryce Allan, H.T.**—A rose that breathes its very existence in deliciously refreshing pure but moss-rose perfume. Colour solid matte carmine rose. Blooms large, globular, imbricated, on erect flower stalks. One of the most highly perfumed roses we know of, and always wanted. Awarded Gold Medal N.R.S. Each, 3/6.
- Mrs. Fred Hawkins, H.T.**—A seedling from "Mad. A. Chatenay," giving huge trusses of rosy salmon pink flowers throughout the season. Should become a fine bedding rose. Each, 3/6.
- Mrs. Mona Hunting, H.T.**—A garden decorative rose of great charm and beauty; growth free and branching, producing its flowers in endless profusion; flowers medium-sized and very full, buds long and pointed, colour deep chamois yellow, opening to pure fawn; a very distinct and novel colouring. A charming and distinct novelty. Silver Guild Medal, N.R.S. Each, 3/6 to 5/-.
- Muriel Dickson, Hybrid Austrian Briar.**—A glorious bedding rose, unsurpassed for cutting and decorative work, buds long and elegant, and pointed. Colour, deep reddish copper in the bud state, opening to cherry red with coppery shadings; a very distinct and charming colour. One of the most distinct and valuable roses we have been privileged to put on the market. Gold Medal, N.R.S. Each, 5/-.
- Mr. P. L. Baudet, H.T.**—Buds long and pointed, opening carmine rose, flecked with salmon yellow; as the bloom expands the outside of petals remains carmine rose, while the inside of the petals is a pale wheat straw colour, the centre being darker. Vigorous growth, and the flowers are large, full, and of good form. Awarded Highest Prize of the Netherlands Rose Society. Each, 3/6.
- Mrs. John Foster, H.T.**—Colour rich vermilion, sweetly scented; habit dwarf. One of the most pleasing colours to be found in roses; after the colour of "Geo. C. Waud." Fine for the exhibition or the garden. Each, 3/6.
- Nellie Parker, H.P.**—Vigorous upright grower, large, handsome foliage; flowers large, full and beautiful form; colour, pale creamy white with deeper centre, frequently flushed with blush at the tips of the petals; of superlative merit, and claimed to be one of the best roses the raisers have put into commerce. Awarded Gold Medal, Ireland. Each, 3/6.
- Prince Charming, H.T.**—Vigorous free-branching habit with bright coppery red foliage in the young state; buds full and beautifully formed, long and pointed; colour, deep reddish copper, with old gold base; a beautiful and very attractive colour; flowers of medium size and of ideal decorative value. A profuse bloomer and a bedding rose of superlative excellence. Each, 3/6 to 5/-.
- Paul's Scarlet Climber, Hybrid Wichuriana.**—Makes a brilliant display for an unusual length of time for a climbing rose. Of exceptional merit for pillars, pergolas, and other climbing purposes. Colour, vivid scarlet, shaded with crimson. Was awarded the Cory Cup in 1915 as the best British-raised new seedling climber; also the Gold Medal. Each, 3/6.
- Red Cross, H.T. (Decorative).**—A beautiful rose of many charms, being of very floriferous, ideal, and vigorous branching habit, and glorious colour, orange crimson scarlet, with delightful tea rose perfume. Flowers borne on strong erect stems. An exquisite and delightful bedding rose. Each, 3/6.
- Steil-Rambler.**—A very vigorous climbing rose, producing large clusters of geranium-red coloured flowers. Clusters, shape and colour resemble those of "Orleans Rose." A rose "par excellence." Each, 2/6.
- Tipperary, H.T.**—In colour this rose would stand between "Lady Hillingdon" and "Melody," showing an attractive shade in the bud and half developed state of a glorious soft golden yellow. Its freedom of flowering and habit of growth places it as probably the most attractive rose of its colour. Each, 3/6 to 5/-.

Ulster Gem.—A charming single rose, with long pointed buds, opening to large flowers frequently six inches in diameter. Colour, deep primrose yellow, with rich boss of prominent anthers. Awarded Gold Medal, N.R.S. Each, 3/6.

W. C. Gaunt, H.T. (Decorative).—An engrossing rose; colour, brilliant vermilion, tipped scarlet, intensified by the deep crimson maroon reverse, truly rich colourings which give the rose great character. The blooms borne on rigid flower stalks are deliciously tea-rose perfumed. A grand addition to this type of rose; a perfect bedder. Awarded First-class Certificate, N.R.S. Each, 3/6.

New Roses of 1916.

Price, 2/- each, except where otherwise priced.

For full description see General Catalogue, pages 48 and 49.

Admiral Ward, H.T.—Reddish crimson.

Cheerful, H.T.—Lovely pure orange flame.

Constance, Briar—An improved Rayon d'or. 2/6.

Cupid, H.T.—Single glowing flesh-shaded peach.

Edward Bohane, H.T.—Brilliant velvety crimson.

Gorgeous, H.T.—Deep orange yellow and reddish copper.

G. Amede Hammond, H.T.—Cadmium yellow and buff.

Janet, H.T.—Delicate salmon flesh, best described as a dwarf Gloire de Dijon.

Mad. Colette Martinet, H.T.—Old gold, shaded orange.

Mrs. Bertram J. Walker, H.T.—Clear bright cerise pink; Gold Medal rose. 2/6.

Margaret Dickson Hamill, H.T.—Deep maize straw colour, flushed with delicate carmine; a truly magnificent rose.

Mrs. Franklin Dennison, H.T.—Porcelain white-veined primrose yellow.

Mrs. George Gordon, H.T.—Bright rosy pink; an ideal garden variety.

Mrs. Hugh Dickson, H.T.—Deep cream, heavily suffused orange and apricot. 2/6.

Mrs. Mackellar, H.T.—Deep citron yellow, opening to pearly primrose white; imposing and glorious rose.

Mrs. Maud Dawson.—Brilliant cerise, with orange carmine shadings.

National Emblem, H.T.—Dark crimson; one of the most esteemed garden and bedding roses.

Sallie, H.T.—Creamy flesh, with splashes of yolk of egg colour.

Souvenir of Henry Graham, H.T.—Charming carmine, delicately shaded cream; a delightful rose.

Choice Annual and Biennial Seedlings.

All the leading Annuals and Biennials, grown in boxes, are supplied ready for planting in flower borders and gardens. Our plants are thoroughly hardened, having been grown in cool frames; are raised from our own selected seeds, are Home grown and imported, and contain the best strains in the market. These plants will carry splendidly by mail. A small charge is made for the box and packing, when sending plants through the post.

Correspondents unacquainted with the many different varieties will do well to leave the selection to ourselves—stating for what purpose they are intended—when only the best and most suitable kinds will be sent.

Price, 1/- per dozen; 7/- per 100, except where otherwise priced.

For list of varieties and descriptions, see General Catalogue, page 46.

Tomato Plants.—Named Varieties, 1/- per dozen; 7/- per 100.

Parcel Post offers splendid facilities for sending annuals and other seedling plants to any part of the Dominion expeditiously and at a trifling cost. Our system of packing annuals, also roses and other plants, insures safe arrival at their destination.

D. HAY & SON'S

"Peerless" Collections of Roses.

As a guide to customers in making their selection of Roses, we have much pleasure in offering the following collections of superb varieties, which are all good growers and free flowerers, and embrace a wide range of colours.

"Peerless" Collection of 37 Roses.

Any 18 for 18/-; any 25 for 24/-; full collection of 37 for 35/-.

Packing and Postage Extra.

Madame Edouard Herriot.
George Dickson.
Frau Karl Druschki.
Hugh Dickson.
Mrs. David McKee.
Mrs. Wallace H. Rowe.
Margaret Dickson Hamill.
General McArthur.
Mrs. Wakefield Christie-Miller.
Lady Hillingdon.
Comtesse Festetics Hamilton.
Earl of Warwick.
Queen Mary.
Augustus Hartmann.
Lady Greenall.
Killarney Brilliant.
Sunburst.
Madame Melaine Soupert.
Madame Abel Chatenay.

Mrs. Ambrose Riccardo.
Antoine Revoire.
Maman Cochet.
Mrs. A. R. Wardell.
Waltham Scarlet.
General Gallieni.
Florence Edith Coulthwaite.
Sachsengrus.
Prince Camille de Rohan.
Countess of Gosford.
Marquis de Sinety.
Mrs. Foley Hobbs.
Lady Ashtown.
Warrior.
Marie Van Houtte.
Mrs. H. Stevens.
H. E. Richardson.
Edward Bohane.

'Peerless' Exhibition Collection of 24 Roses

Extra Strong Plants, for 25/-.

Packing and Postage Extra.

Coronation.
H. V. Machin.
Frau Karl Druschki.
Mrs. David McKee.
Mrs. Foley Hobbs.
Juliet.
Mrs. Wakefield Christie-Miller.
Mrs. Wallace H. Rowe.
Hugh Dickson.
Earl of Warwick.
Comte G. de Rochemur.
George Dickson.

Margaret Dickson Hamill.
Edgar M. Burnett.
Sachsengrus.
Caroline Testout.
May Alexander Lippiatt.
Duchess of Wellington.
Victor Hugo.
Mrs. John Laing.
Mrs. Amy Hammond.
Mrs. George Norwood.
Natalie Bottner.
Countess of Gosford.

Collection of 18 Best Climbing Roses.

For 18/-; Extra Strong Plants, 20/-; any 12 for 12/-;

Extra Strong Plants, 15/- Postage and Packing Extra.

Ards Rover.
Souvenir de Madame Leonie
Veinnot.
Climbing Devoniensis.
Climbing Perle des Jardins.
Climbing K. A. Victoria.
Climbing Richmond.
Climbing Capt. Christy.
Cloth of Gold.
Chateau de Gros Bois.

Miss Marion Manifold.
Climbing Caroline Testout.
Alberic Barbier.
Dorothy Perkins.
White Dorothy.
Mrs. F. W. Flight.
Wm. Allan Richardson.
American Pillar.
Gloire de Dijon.

Our collection of Roses, containing many thousands, is most extensive, comprising over 400 varieties of sterling merit. We annually erase from our Rose List a large number of varieties to make room for newer introductions.

For complete List and Prices see our General Catalogue, pages 48 to 64, where names and full descriptions are given.

Hedge Plants.

Acmena Floribunda.—60/- to 120/- per 100. Handsome tree, with bright green leaves; should be extensively planted; useful as a boundary hedge.

Arundinaria Japonica (Metake).—12/- dozen; 80/- per 100. For an ornamental shelter hedge, or as a screen for shutting out unsightly objects, this species of Bamboo is highly prized.

Berberis vulgaris (Common Barberry).—Perfectly hardy; unquestionably the best all-round hedge plant for paddocks. 17/- to 25/- per 1,000.

Coprosma Baueriana.—20/- to 35/- per 100. Is very hardy and recommended for planting near the sea; foliage glossy green; stands clipping well.

Crataegus Crenulata.—35/- to 40/- per 100. Described as the prettiest hedge plant in the whole Dominion; being extremely hardy it will supply a long-felt want, especially for those districts where Tecoma and other tender hedge plants do not succeed, being killed by frosts. During the Autumn it is laden with bright scarlet berries from top to base.

Cupressus Macrocarpa (balled).—33/- to 40/- per 100. Makes an invaluable shelter fence of most ornamental appearance.

Cupressus Lawsoniana.—35/- to 60/- per 100. As an ornamental break-wind hedge this cypress has of late come greatly into favour. It is extremely hardy and highly ornamental, and invaluable as a permanent hedge.

Elaeagnus japonica.—15/- to 25/- per 100. Makes a beautiful ornamental, evergreen hedge, and stands well near the sea.

Escallonia Ingramii.—30/- to 35/- per 100. A dense-growing, hardy species, with spikes of rose-coloured blossoms; clips well, and forms a dense, compact hedge.

Laurel.—30/- to 40/- per 100. Very ornamental and perfectly hardy.

Ligustrum Ciliatum Variegatum.—35/- to 40/- per 100. In this we have an extremely hardy and highly ornamental evergreen with dark green foliage, prettily variegated white.

Ligustrum sinensis (Chinese Privet).—15/- to 35/- per 100. This variety is of rapid growth, will bear clipping well, and succeeds in almost any soil. Makes a beautiful, ornamental, evergreen hedge, and is useful for a break-wind.

Lycium horridum (African Box-thorn).—3/6 per 100; 25/- to 30/- per 1,000.

Olearia Fosteri—25/- to 35/- per 100. A beautiful close-growing ornamental, evergreen hedge; is extremely hardy, and suitable for exposed positions and those near the sea.

Pinus insignis.—30/- to 40/- per 100, balled, singly; 25/- per 100, unballed. Most useful shelter tree for the country.

Pinus muricata.—25/- to 35/- per 100, unballed; a valuable shelter hedge.

Pinus Thunbergii.—40/- to 50/- per 100. We have much pleasure in recommending this hardy, dense-growing Japanese pine for a break-wind. Specially recommended for sand-binding purposes.

Pinus Densiflora.—50/- per 100. Another dense-growing Japanese variety; extremely hardy; invaluable for a break-wind.

Pittosporum crassifolium.—35/- to 60/- per 100. One of the most ornamental of the Pittosporums; clips well, and forms a dense hedge, and grows well near the sea.

Pittosporum Eugenioides.—40/- to 60/- per 100; extra large plants, 80/- per 100. Distinct from the preceding, but equally ornamental. Succeeds throughout the Dominion.

Tecoma capensis.—30/- to 35/- per 100. Makes an extremely beautiful ornamental evergreen hedge; clips well, and forms a dense compact break-wind. Too well known to want further description.

For full descriptions and other varieties, see General Catalogue, page 39.